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## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Michael S. Feld and Joseph Baraga

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated March 22, 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 15-38. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.	[X]	Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action Made Final dated March 22, 2002 for three months from June 22, 2002 to September 22, 2002.		
2.	[]	A [ ] month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final dated [ ] was filed on [ ] with payment of a \$[ ] fee.		
	[]	Applicant hereby petitions for an additional [ ] month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final.		
3.	[ ]	An Oral Hearing before the Board of Appeals is respectfully requested.		

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4.	Fees a					
	[X]	[X] Extension of Time for three months				
	[]	Additional Extension of Time:				
		Fee for Extension ([ ] mo.)	\$			
		Less fees paid ([ ] mo.)	- \$			
		Balance of fee due		\$		
	[X]	Notice of Appeal		\$	320.00	
	[ ]	Terminal Disclaimer		\$		
	[X]	Other: Change of Correspondence Address	\$			
			TOTAL	\$	<u>1,240.00</u>	
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5.	The m					
	[X]	A check in the amount of \$1,240.00 is enc				
	[ ]	Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-193		].		

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 50-1935. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted, BOWDITCH & DEWEY, LLP

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